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The Cutaway

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The Cutaway is a striking debut novel that draws you into the tangled world of corruption and cover-up. In a stunning psychological thriller, a television producer investigates the disappearance of a beautiful Georgetown lawyer.

When the brilliant TV-news-producer Virginia Knightly receives a disturbing "MISSING" notice related to the disappearance of a beautiful young attorney, she can't seem to shake the image from her head. Knightly suspects this may be at the heart of something far more sinister, especially since the attorney was last seen leaving an upscale restaurant after a domestic dispute.

Risking her career, her life, and perhaps even her own sanity, Knightly dives deep into the dark underbelly of Washington, D.C. Her investigation into its business and politics will drag her through the inextricable webs of corruption that bind the press, the police, and politics in our nation's capital.

"An insider's look at TV news and the real workings of Washington DC. *The Cutaway* combines relentless pace, a compelling story, and a truly memorable protagonist. Terrific." — Joseph Finder, *New York Times* bestselling author of *Suspicion* and *The Switch*